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In re application of:

HUNGWEN JEN et al.

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For: PROCESSING METHODS AND FORMULATIONS TO  
ENHANCE STABILITY OF LEAN-NO<sub>x</sub>-TRAP CATALYSTS  
BASED ON ALKALI- AND ALKALINE-EARTH-MEAL  
COMPOUNDS

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

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